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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed by the Application Branch on December 1, 2003, you will find enclosed the following documents:

- (1) Power of Attorney or Authorization of Agent (Inventor), duly executed by the inventors on July 23, 2003, August 4, 2003, and September 3, 2003;
- (2) Declaration for Utility Patent Application (Inventor), duly executed by the inventors on July 23, 2003, August 4, 2003, and September 3, 2003;

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- (4) Assignment executed by the inventors, and the related Assignment Cover Sheet.

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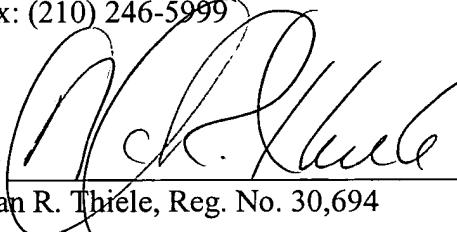
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Respectfully submitted,

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